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FOR OES FRY AND GORSEY

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SUBJECT: JOINT COMMITTEE FOR SCIENTIFIC & TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION--  
WORKING LEVEL MEETING MARCH 24/25

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1. SINGLE ROOMS RESERVED FOR MESSRS. FRY AND GORSEY AT HOTEL  
LOS GALGOS (ONE BLOCK FROM CHANCERY) FOR EARLY ARRIVAL MARCH  
23. SCIATT CLEMENT WILL MEET AT AIRPORT ON ARRIVAL.

2. REFTTEL DOES NOT SPECIFY ETD. WE ARE ASSUMING FRY AND  
GORSEY WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR APPOINTMENTS THRU FRIDAY AND ON  
THIS BASIS HAVE TENTATIVELY SET THE WORKING-LEVEL MEETINGS OF  
THE JOINT COMMITTEE FOR SCIENTIFIC & TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION  
FOR THURSDAY AFTERNOON (MARCH 24) AND FRIDAY MORNING. WE HAVE  
SET ASIDE WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON (MARCH 23) AND THURSDAY MORNING  
FOR IN-HOUSE DISCUSSIONS.

3. SPANISH SIDE WILL BE REPRESENTED AT THESE MEETINGS BY  
DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL COOPERATION  
(PASTOR), SPANISH JOINT COMMITTEE SECRETARY (BENAVIDES), AND  
PERMANENT SECRETARY OF THE COUNCIL (CUERVO). FOR U.S.,  
SCIATT CLEMENT WILL CHAIR, ACCOMPANIED BY FRY, GORSEY,  
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BREISKY (POL/MIL COUNSELOR AND US PERMANENT SECRETARY OF THE  
COUNCIL) AND MILLAN (NOTETAKER).

4. PRINCIPAL SUBJECT FOR DISCUSSION, WE BELIEVE, SHOULD BE  
PROCEDURES FOR FUNDING OF THE VARIOUS AGREED PROGRAMS AND  
PROJECTS UNDER THE 5 CLASSES OF ACTIVITIES IN WHICH THE SPANISH  
ARE PUBLICLY SOLICITING PROPOSALS IN SPAIN, AND OF A

PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT FUND. SPANISH WILL WISH TO BE REASSURED OF REASONABLE DEGREE OF SPANISH CONTROL OVER THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS BOTH IN SPAIN AND IN THE UNITED STATES, ALTHOUGH WE DO NOT BELIEVE THEY WILL CONTINUE TO INSIST RIGIDLY ON ADVANCE DEPOSIT OF ALL FUNDS HERE.

5. OTHER SUBJECTS FOR DISCUSSION INCLUDE:

(A) THE EXTENT TO WHICH TRAVEL GRANTS AND POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS CAN BE HANDLED AS A PART OF DIRECT RESEARCH GRANTS, AND U.S. PREFERENCE THAT FUNDING OF ALL THREE BE LIMITED TO NO MORE THAN ROUGHLY 10 PERCENT OF THE TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE. (WE MAY ALSO WISH TO INDICATE AT THIS TIME WHAT PERCENTAGE OF THE FUNDS DIVERTED TO THESE CLASSES OF ACTIVITIES MIGHT BE RESERVED FOR US USE.)

(B) ASSURANCE OF THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS TO COVER INDIRECT COSTS OF US PARTICIPATING AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONS;

(C) THE EXTENT OF US RIGHTS TO DISCOVERIES, PATENTS AND KNOW-HOW (MADRID 1537);

(D) THE NATURE OF U.S. INVOLVEMENT IN THE EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS PRODUCED BY THE SPANISH PUBLIC SOLICITATIONS, PARTICULARLY IN THOSE CLASSES OF ACTIVITIES OTHER THAN THE COOPERATIVE RESEARCH GRANTS.

(E) CONFIRMATION OF THE APRIL 21 DATE TENTATIVELY SET FOR THE NEXT MEETING OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE AT THE LEVEL OF CO-CHAIRMEN, AND THE QUESTION OF THE SPECIFIC LEVEL OF US PARTICIPATION. (DIRECTOR GENERAL BARROSO HAS THIS FAR INDICATED STRONG RELUCTANCE TO PARTICIPATE PERSONALLY IN MEETINGS AT WHICH THE ASST SECY FOR OES DOES NOT PARTICIPATE.)

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6. WE EXPECT TO HAVE SPECIFIC AGENDA PROPOSALS FROM THE SPANISH SIDE PRIOR TO THE MEETING.EATON

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